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With the New Year comes many changes:

We are now settled in our new Town Office building. In April of 2015, the dedication ceremony for the new building was a huge success. We provided tours of the building from 10a-6p. Everyone loved having a tour and especially loved seeing the climate controlled vault in our office.

The Town Clerk's office is pleased to announce that Memorial Hall has been approved by the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Board of Selectmen as the new voting location for all future elections.

As in the past, we have applied for grants through the Community Preservation funds and are very pleased that the voters approved a grant in the amount of \$28.010.00 at the Annual Town Meeting on May 11, 2015 for Birth Records Preservation. Along with another grant application in the amount of \$25,000.00 for Marriage Records and Marriage Intensions that was approved at the November 2, 2015. We have almost completed our vital records restoration. Our goal is to preserve all the vital records that are currently housed in the vault at Memorial Hall and permanently store them in the vault at 110 Main St.

We look forward to continually providing excellent customer service and convenience to the residents.

I would like to thank my Assistant Jamie Messer, the Election Workers, Registrars of Voters and to all town departments for their co-operation. I look forward to serving the residents of Monson in the upcoming year.

Respectfully submitted:

Mary F. Watson Town Clerk